



PATENT
Client-Matter No.:
66661-016 (P-IS 4367)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	Confirmation No: 3087
)	
Biaoyang Lin)	Group Art Unit: 1642
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Serial No.: 09/729,653)	Examiner: M. Davis
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Filed: December 4, 2000)	CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL"
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For: PROSTATE-SPECIFIC)	
POLYPEPTIDE PAMP AND)	DATE OF DEPOSIT: February 11, 2004
ENCODING NUCLEIC ACID)	
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed
November 17, 2003, entry of the following amendments and
consideration of the following remarks are respectfully
requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER		CLIENT-MATTER NO.: 66661-016 (P-IS 4367)	
SERIAL NO: 09/729,653	FILING DATE: December 4, 2000	EXAMINER: M. Davis	GROUP ART UNIT: 1642 CONFIRMATION NO.: 3087
INVENTION: PROSTATE-SPECIFIC POLYPEPTIDE PAMP AND ENCODING NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES			

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Transmitted herewith is a Response to the outstanding Office Action mailed November 17, 2003, in the above-identified application.

☒ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27.

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☐ Request for an extension of time (in duplicate).

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☒ No additional claims fee is required.

☐ An additional claims fee is required and has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	NUMBER AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENTED	RATE		FEE	
				SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	5	- 29	- 0	x \$9	\$18	= \$0	\$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	- 9	- 0	x \$42	\$84	= \$0	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	\$140	\$280	= \$0	\$
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE		\$0	\$

* If the "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

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____ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 502624 the amount of \$0.00 which covers the fee for an extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502624. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 502624 any fees under 37 CFR 1.17 which may be required under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) for an extension of time in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

February 11, 2004
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